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Applicant: Demers, et al. Art Unit: 1651
Appl. No: 10/696,969 Examiner: Bradrick, Thomas
File Date: October 30, 2003 Docket No.: 1062/D70
Invention: SYSTEM, DEVICE, AND METHOD FOR MIXING A SUBSTANCE
WITH A LIQUID

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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office action of March 7, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.



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In re application of: Jason D. Demers, James D. Dale, Brian Tracey, David W. McGill
and Larry B. Gray

Application No.: 10/696,969

Group No.: 1651

Filed: 10/30/2003

Examiner: Bradick, Thomas

For: System, Device, and Method for Mixing
a Substance with a Liquid

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

- Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

STATUS

- Applicant is other than a small entity.

EXTENSION OF TERM

- The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

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FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

(Col. 1)	(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY			
CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE			ADDIT. FEE
TOTAL	44	-	65	=	0 x \$ 50.00	= \$ 0.00
INDEP.	2	-	4	=	0 x \$ 200.00	= \$ 0.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM			+ \$ 0.00	= \$ 0.00		
			TOTAL ADDIT. FEE		\$	0.00

No additional fee for claims is required.

FEE DEFICIENCY

5. If any extension and/or fee is required, charge Account No. 19-4972.

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